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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Masahiro ODASHIMA et al.

Group Art Unit: 3662 Application No.: 09/935,054

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For: NAVIGATION APPARATUS FOR

> MOBILE VEHICLE AND NAVIGATION **COMMUNICATION SYSTEM**

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated August 22, 2002 (Paper No. 9), the period for response to extends through November 22, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add new claims 8-14 as follows:

(New) A mobile vehicle navigation method for a mobile vehicle, comprising: 8. receiving information transmitted from another mobile vehicle, indicative of the position of said other mobile vehicle;

setting said other mobile vehicle either in a valid state or in an invalid state; and displaying the position of said other mobile vehicle received by said receiver when said hoplay at 150

other mobile vehicle is set in the valid state.

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